



NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
AMENDMENT
House Bill 372

AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_
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Amends Title [NO]
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Senator \_\_\_\_\_

1 moves to amend the bill on page 7, by adding the following at the end of line 20:
2 "In case of death, incapacity, resignation, removal by the Governor, or vacancy for any other
3 reason while the General Assembly is in session, the Governor shall submit the name of a
4 successor Secretary to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of
5 Representatives within four weeks after the vacancy occurs. In case of death, incapacity,
6 resignation, removal by the Governor, or vacancy for any other reason while the General
7 Assembly is not in session, the Governor shall appoint a Secretary to serve on an interim basis
8 pending confirmation by the General Assembly.";

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10 and on page 11, by inserting the following between lines 6 and 7:

"SECTION 1.(i1) G.S. 20-79.5 reads as rewritten:

12 "§ 20-79.5. Special registration plates for elected and appointed State government
13 officials.

14 (a) Plates. – The State government officials listed in this section are eligible for a
15 special registration plate under G.S. 20-79.4. The plate shall bear the number designated in the
16 following table for the position held by the official.

Table with 2 columns: Position, Number on Plate. Rows include Governor (1), Lieutenant Governor (2), Secretary of Medicaid (22), Governor's Staff (22-23-29).

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24 SECTION 1.(i2) G.S. 126-5(d)(1) is amended by adding a new sub-subdivision to
25 read:

26 "(d) (1) Exempt Positions in Cabinet Department. – Subject to the provisions of this
27 Chapter, which is known as the North Carolina Human Resources Act, the
28 Governor may designate a total of 1,500 exempt positions throughout the
29 following departments and offices:

30 ...
31 n. Department of Medicaid."

32 SECTION 1.(i3) G.S. 143B-2 reads as rewritten:



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1 **"§ 143B-2. Interim applicability of the Executive Organization Act of 1973.**  
2 The Executive Organization Act of 1973 shall be applicable only to the following named  
3 departments:  
4 ...  
5 [\(11\) Department of Medicaid.](#)"  
6 **SECTION 1.(i4)** G.S. 143B-6 is amended by adding a new subdivision to read:  
7 **"§ 143B-6. Principal departments.**  
8 In addition to the principal departments enumerated in the Executive Organization Act of  
9 1971, all executive and administrative powers, duties, and functions not including those of the  
10 General Assembly and its agencies, the General Court of Justice and the administrative  
11 agencies created pursuant to Article IV of the Constitution of North Carolina, and higher  
12 education previously vested by law in the several State agencies, are vested in the following  
13 principal departments:  
14 ...  
15 [\(12\) Department of Medicaid.](#)".  
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SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_  
Amendment Sponsor

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Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_\_ FAILED \_\_\_\_\_ TABLED \_\_\_\_\_ "